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Automotive Safety Enforcement Division

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Chapter 01 General Inspection

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Chapter 02 Safety Standards for Passenger Cars, Taxicabs, Light Trucks, Vans, Multipurpose Passenger Vehicles, and Type II School Vehicles

(Insert the following Special Orders as listed at the end of this Chapter)

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Chapter 03 Safety Standards for Motorcycles

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23-9904	Service Brake Performance Road Test
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23-9905	Inspection of Exhaust Systems
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Chapter 05 Safety Standards for Trailers

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Special Order No.	Subject
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Special Order No.	Subject
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